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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s):

- (1) Peter James Sutherland Goldsack
- (2) Gerard Fitzpatrick
- (3) Abijah M. Perkins

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For:

"BLOCK ERROR RATE MEASUREMENTS"

Enclosed are:

# The Papers Required For Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

6 Pages of specification 1 Page of Abstract 1 Page of Claims

4 Sheets of drawings [ ] formal [X] informal (Figs. 1-8)

[X] In addition to the above papers there is also attached

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Declaration/Power of Attorney of Peter James Sutherland Goldsack and Gerard Fitzpatrick (2 pages)

Declaration/Power of Attorney of Abijah M. Perkins (2 pages)

Claim to Priority (1 page) with Certified Copies of

UK Application No. 0013746.3 and

EP Application No. 00311334.7 Assignment Cover Sheet (1 page), Assignment document from Agilent Technologies UK Limited (1 page),

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- [ ] Application is made by a person authorized under 37 CFR 1.41(c) on behalf of all of the above named inventor(s). The declaration or oath, along with the surcharge required by 37 CFR 1.16(e) can be filed subsequently.
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## 3./Assignment

[X] Assignment of the invention to AGILENT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

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## 4. Certified Copies

[X] Certified copies of (1) UK Application No. 0013746.3 and

(2) EP Application No. 00311334.7

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## CLAIM TO PRIORITY UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119

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[X] Applicants hereby make a right of priority claim under 35 U.S.C. 119 for the benefit of the filing date(s) of the following corresponding foreign application(s):

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- [ ] A certified copy of each of the above-noted patent applications was filed with the Parent Application
- [X] To support applicant's claim, certified copies of the aboveidentified foreign patent applications are enclosed herewith.
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